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Video of a Purple Burglar

Police need assistance in identifying a burglary suspect wearing all purple.

He and an accomplice burglarized two homes in close proximity to each other on the same day.

On Wednesday, February 19, 2014 at about 7:45 a.m., the two suspects broke into a rear window at 5591 16th Ave N. They took several items, including a revolver.

On the same day at approximately 12:45 p.m. the suspects broke into a rear bedroom window at 5612 17th Ave N., a short distance from the first burglary. A few electronic items were taken during this burglary.

The Purple Burglar first approached a neighboring home to the second victim where clear surveillance video was taken of him ringing the doorbell. The Purple Burglar then left and was caught on camera again breaking into the rear window of the victim’s home.

The last clip in the surveillance video is of them leaving the scene in a silver sedan, possibly a 2006-2011 silver, 4 door, Toyota Camry.

You Tube clip of the surveillance video: http://youtu.be/VkeyEouYrog

If anyone has any information on the identity of this Purple Burglar they are asked please contact the Burglary Unit at 727-893-7254 or the Communications Center at 727-893-7780. They may also Text-A-Tip to 727-420-8911 or leave a confidential tip at 727-892-5000.

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